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AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

This listing of claims replaces all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

- 1 1. – 48. (Cancelled)
- 1 49. (Currently Amended) A method of transferring an image to a destination, the method
2 comprising:
3 accessing, by a standalone scanner, at least one network device over a network;
4 displaying destination options on a user interface of the standalone scanner based on
5 accessing the at least one network device;
6 obtaining [[a]] said destination based on selection of the destination options in said user
7 interface, wherein said destination is connected to said standalone scanner using [[a]] said
8 network;
9 performing scanning on said standalone scanner to produce [[an]] said image; and
10 transferring said image to said destination.
- 1 50. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 49, wherein said user interface comprises a
2 browser.
- 1 51. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 49, wherein said obtaining said destination
2 comprises detecting a drag and drop operation wherein a first icon is dragged to a location
3 indicator and dropped on said location indicator.
- 1 52. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 51, wherein said first icon comprises a
2 scanner icon.
- 1 53. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 49, further comprising automatically
2 converting said image to a different document format before storing said image.

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1 54. (Previously Presented) An apparatus for controlling an image scanning process in a
2 standalone scanner, comprising:
3 at least one computer readable medium; and
4 computer readable program code stored on said at least one computer readable medium,
5 said computer readable program code being executable on said standalone scanner to:
6 query at least one network device over a network for folders;
7 display icons representing the folders in a user interface of the standalone scanner;
8 and
9 in response to a first displayed element associated with the standalone scanner
10 being dragged to and dropped upon a selected one of the icons,
11 causing said standalone scanner to perform a scan to produce at least one
12 image; and
13 transferring said at least one image from said standalone scanner to a
14 folder associated with the selected one of the icons.

1 55. (Previously Presented) The apparatus of claim 54, wherein said computer readable
2 program code is executed without further user intervention after said first displayed element is
3 dragged to and dropped upon said selected icon.

1 56. (Previously Presented) The apparatus of claim 54, wherein said first displayed element
2 comprises a scanner icon.

1 57. (Previously Presented) The apparatus of claim 54, wherein said user interface comprises
2 a browser.

1 58. (Previously Presented) The apparatus of claim 54, said computer readable program code
2 further executable to convert said at least one image to a different document format before said
3 transferring.

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1 59. (Previously Presented) The apparatus of claim 54, wherein said transferring comprises
2 transferring said at least one image across a File Transfer Protocol (FTP) connection.

1 60. – 61. (Cancelled)

1 62. (Previously Presented) A standalone scanner connectable to a network, the standalone
2 scanner comprising:
3 a processor;
4 a memory coupled to the processor;
5 a browser program stored in the memory for accessing a network device on the network;
6 a display for displaying destination locations on the network device; and
7 a user interface to enable selection of one of the destination locations and for causing the
8 standalone scanner to perform a scan to produce an image and automatically send the image to
9 the selected one of the destination locations on the network device.

1 63. (Cancelled)

1 64. (Previously Presented) The standalone scanner of claim 62 wherein the network is the
2 internet.

1 65. (Previously Presented) The standalone scanner of claim 62 wherein the scanner is
2 directly connected to a local server via a communication link for sending the image to the local
3 server and then the selected one destination location.

1 66. – 67. (Cancelled)

1 68. (Previously Presented) The standalone scanner of claim 62 further comprising a network
2 card to establish communication to the network device on the network.

1 69. (Cancelled)

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1 70. (Previously Presented) The standalone scanner of claim 62 further comprising an
2 automatic document feeder (ADF).

1 71. (Previously Presented) The standalone scanner of claim 62 wherein the display displays
2 a list of available servers as icons, the user interface to enable selection of one of the servers as
3 the network device.

1 72. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 49, wherein accessing the at least one
2 network device by the standalone scanner comprises accessing the at least one network device by
3 a scanner that operates independently of a computer.

1 73. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 49, wherein displaying the destination
2 options comprises displaying icons representing folders on the at least one network device, and
3 wherein obtaining the destination based on selection in the user interface comprises selecting one
4 of the folders based on a drag-and-drop operation that selects the one of the folders.

1 74. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 73, wherein selecting one of the folders
2 based on the drag-and-drop operation comprises selecting one of the folders based on drag and
3 dropping a first icon to an icon representing the one of the folders, the first icon representing one
4 of an automatic document feeder and a document.

1 75. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 49, wherein the accessing, displaying, and
2 transferring is performed by a browser.

1 76. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 49, further comprising:
2 displaying a list of servers in the user interface;
3 receiving selection of one of the servers,
4 wherein accessing the at least one network device comprises querying the selected one of
5 the servers.

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1 77. (Previously Presented) The apparatus of claim 54, wherein the standalone scanner
2 comprises a scanner that operates independently of a computer.

1 78. (Previously Presented) The apparatus of claim 54, wherein the computer readable
2 program code is executable to:
3 present available servers in the user interface of the standalone scanner; and
4 receive selection of one of the servers as the network device.

1 79. (Previously Presented) The apparatus of claim 54, wherein the computer readable
2 program code comprises a web browser, the web browser executable to perform the querying
3 and displaying.

1 80. (Previously Presented) The standalone scanner of claim 62, wherein the destination
2 locations comprise folders, and selection of the one of the destination locations comprises
3 selection of one of the folders.

1 81. (Previously Presented) A method of software execution in a standalone scanner,
2 comprising:
3 querying at least one network device over a network for folders;
4 displaying icons representing the folders in a user interface of the standalone
5 scanner;
6 receiving selection of one of the icons in the user interface;
7 in response to the selection of one of the icons, causing said standalone scanner to
8 perform a scan to produce at least one image; and
9 transferring said at least one image from said standalone scanner to a folder
10 associated with the selected one of the icons.

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- 1 82. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 81, wherein receiving selection of the one
- 2 of the icons comprises receiving selection based on dragging and dropping a displayed element
- 3 representing an automatic document feeder to the selected one of the icons.

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